## City of Beaverton Neighborhood Association Committee Meeting Minutes

Neighbors Southwest March 16, 2005 Meeting

Board Members Present: Chair: Bruce Miller

Vice Chair: Alton Harvey, Sr. Treasurer: Marian Griffiths

Jack Scott Mike Gallagher

Bruce Miller opened the meeting at 7:00 p.m.

After welcome and introductions, Bruce introduced the first of three speakers for the evening, Officer Burke, Beaverton Police Department.

Officer Burke advised the NAC he is assigned to our Association and will do his best to attend every meeting. He apologized for missing our previous meetings. Officer Burke discussed the current methamphetamine problem and stated they are doing their best to combat the growing problem. He also provided information regarding magazine salesmen targeting the Beaverton area. They are not legitimate salesmen and should they solicit anyone for money, it should immediately be reported to the Beaverton P.D. Officer Burke also provided a copy of the Uniform Crime Report statistics gathered for our neighborhood.

Minutes from the previous meeting were accepted and approved.

Katie Fernandez from Group Mackenzie along with Kate Smith from Radovich Development Company presented information about the proposed development of "Village on Scholls." It is to be located at the intersection of Barrows and Scholls Ferry Road. Both companies are still pursuing permits and zoning variances for the project and hope to break ground by this fall. Traffic studies, proposed turning lanes, entrance and exit points are all still being evaluated. Several individuals expressed concern about the potential impact the development will have on traffic flow around their homes. Others expressed interest about privacy concerns given the proposed height of one of the buildings. All issues were noted by the presenters and will be relayed to their respective companies.

Mike Gallagher provided additional information about Beaverton's Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) program. Mike invited three guests, all CERT members from various neighborhoods around the Beaverton area. Each gave their personal interpretation of the CERT program and the potential benefits it provides for the

community. The current CERT training program is 9 weeks in length, requiring approximately three (3) hours training per week. The CERT program covers how to respond in the event of natural disasters, hazmat incidents and other mass casualty type scenarios. Approximately 135 citizens from the Beaverton area have graduated from the CERT program. Anyone interested in attending a CERT training class can speak with Mike. The City of Beaverton website also contains information about the CERT program. The web address is: www.ci.beaverton.or.us

The meeting was adjourned at 8:22 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jack Scott Board Member